SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 187 By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Nancye Leanne Wrather, 1997 Salutatorian of Lebanon High School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Nancye Leanne Wrather is one such an outstanding student who has distinguished herself as salutatorian of the 1997 class at Lebanon High School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Leanne has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Leanne has earned an exceptional 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, she has demonstrated her social conscience through her involvement in and many contributions to her church group, serving as assistant editor of the Devils' Advocate newspaper staff, and treasurer of Mu Alpha Theta. Leanne also participated in the Beta Club, Wilson County Youth Leadership Program, Leadership Wilson, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Interact and S.T.A.R.S.; and

WHEREAS, she was named to Who's Who Among American High School Students and was nominated for the National History Award and "Most Sophisticated" of her class; and

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WHEREAS, Leanne's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success and college career at Belmont University; and

WHEREAS, Leanne's noteworthy achievement is a great source of pride for her parents, David and Linda Wrather, grandparents, Thurman and Annie Mai Todd, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Leanne's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE-HUNDREDTH GENERAL

ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor 1997 Lebanon High School Salutatorian,

Nancye Leanne Wrather, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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